

# SOUTHWESTERN SYSTEM

## Effective September 19, 1914

### Eastern Standard Time.

Local cars leave Medina for Berea, Kams and Cleveland, 6:22, 7:16, 8:13, 10:11 a. m., 12:11, 2:11, 4:11, 6:11, 8:11, 10:11, 11:58 p. m.

Limited trains leave Medina for Cleveland at 7:57, 8:41, 10:13, 10:41 a. m., 2:00, 4:12, 4:41, 6:41 p. m.

Local cars leave Cleveland for Medina at 7:20, 9:20, 11:20 a. m., 1:20, 3:20, 5:20, 7:20, 9:20, 11:20 p. m.

Local car leaves Lorain St. Depot for Medina only, at 6:05 a. m.

Limited trains leave Cleveland for Medina at 6:08, 7:48, 9:48, 10:48, 11:48 a. m., 2:48, 3:48, 4:48, 6:48 p. m.

Local cars leave Medina for Chippewa Lake, Seville, Creston, Wooster, Lodi, West Salem, Ashland, Mansfield, Crestline, Galion, and Bucyrus at 7:26, 9:09, 11:09 a. m., 1:09, 3:09, 5:09, 7:09, 9:09 p. m. Galion only 11:01 p. m. Seville only, 12:57 a. m.

Limited trains leave Medina for Seville, Creston and Wooster at 11:15 a. m., 1:15, 5:15, 7:15 p. m. For Seville, Lodi, West Salem, Ashland, Mansfield, Crestline, Galion, and Bucyrus at 9:15 a. m., 12:15, 4:15 p. m., Galion only, 8:15 p. m.

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# PERSONALS

A. D. Somers spent Sunday in Canaan.

A. I. Hummel was a Rittman visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Roberts was in Canaan Bend and Akron this week.

Mr. A. M. Fritz of Rittman was a Medina caller Monday.

Miss Hattie Condon visited friends in Coshocton last week.

Miss Stella Yost visited her parents in Valley City last week.

Master Carlyle Beedle spent over Sunday in Akron visiting his uncle.

Miss Gertrude Bishop spent Sunday with Mrs. Wm. Hoppe in Valley City.

Mrs. George McNeal and father, O. B. Dealing, spent last Saturday in Creston.

Mrs. E. R. Hanchy and daughter spent the week-end with friends in Cleveland.

Miss Ella Wilson of Cleveland is visiting at the home of Mrs. Cora Blakeslee.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Newberry of Creston spent Sunday with relatives in Medina.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Stouffer and family spent Sunday at the home of J. W. Tuttle.

Miss Helen Burgin, who spent last week with her parents, returned to Kent Monday.

N. F. Houseworth of Rittman spent Monday and Tuesday with friends in Medina hunting.

Mrs. Auillia Hickox of Toronto, Canada, is spending a week with old friends in Medina.

Mrs. C. J. Kenn and daughter Luella spent the week-end in Cleveland with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Webber spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Robinson.

Miss Francina and Sadie McDowell of Seville are spending the week with Mrs. O. H. McDowell.

Austin Scherrer has returned from an extensive sojourn with relatives and friends in Coshocton.

Mrs. E. R. Root entertained the Ladies' Benevolent Society at her home Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woods visited at the home of A. S. Canfield and family in Litchfield on Sunday.

Mrs. Andy Vandreyust and Mrs. Davidson of Cleveland spent Sunday with their cousin, Mettie Wacker.

Pearl Wright and R. M. Miller were married last Wednesday p. m. at the home of Mrs. C. E. Green.

Frank Leggett and family and Mrs. Fetzter and daughter Rosa, spent Sunday at the Bailey home near Medina.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur VanEpp and Miss Lucille Garver visited Mr. Alfred Allen and family in Litchfield this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Thatcher of Painesville spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Thatcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Edwards and daughter spent Sunday in Lagrange visiting Mrs. Edwards' brother, Geo. Law and family.

Mr. John Love of Shelby, O., a schoolmate of Howard Calvert, at Oberlin, is now in the employment of the A. I. Root Co.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Mills of Rittman entertained at Thanksgiving dinner Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Borland and three children of Medina.

Leland Walton, Glenn Geisinger, Virgil Damon and Marion Garver returned to O. S. U. Monday and George Shane to Wittenberg.

Howard Calvert left Wednesday for San Diego, Calif., where he will have charge of the A. I. Root Company's exhibit at the exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Werner spent the week-end visiting friends in Elyria.

Mrs. Helen Aylard and son Cecil spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Strong of Brunswick and the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cann of Cleveland.

Elmer Friedel, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Friedel, returned Sunday to his home at Johnston, Pa.

Miss Julia Anderson returned to Columbus and Miss Ruth Ferriman to Wooster Monday afternoon having spent their Thanksgiving vacation with their parents.

Miss Eva McNauton of Constantinople, Turkey, and Miss Jessie White of Brooklyn, N. Y., with Miss Mildred Calvert spent the week-end at the home of the latter.

E. B. Underwood and son Aldrich, with their wives, made an auto trip on Friday to Elyria, Oberlin and Norwalk, where the father had business. The party were in Akron on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Bohley, Mr. and Mrs. Will Bohley and Mr. and Mrs. Oda Swartz and son of Mallet Creek spent a pleasant evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Clement on Saturday.

# Elephants Once Roamed in Ohio

Although it is not generally known, Dr. J. A. Bownocker, state geologist and professor at Ohio State university, believes that elephants formerly lived in Ohio in great numbers. "There were two forms," Dr. Bownocker says, "commonly known as mastodon and mammoth. Apparently they were much alike, though the mammoth may have had a better covering of hair and hence been more at home in a cold climate. One of the finest skeletons of the mastodon in this country was found in Clarke county and is mounted in the geological museum of the state university. This skeleton has a length of nearly 20 feet, a height of about 10 feet, while the great tusks are about the same as those of Jumbo, a giant circus elephant of two or three decades ago.

Several years ago sections of the skeleton of a mastodon were unearthed by men excavating in the northeastern part of Geauga county, either Thompson or Montville townships.

The mastodon appears to have roamed over a smaller area, though its bones are found in our northern states and in Canada. Both forms probably lived in glacial times and their wide distribution may have been the result of great temperature changes, the ice forcing the elephants to the south, while in the warm interglacial epochs the animals sought the cooler climate of the north.

They lived in Ohio after the ice had abandoned the state and their remains are found buried in old swamps and marshes, where they went for food and water.

The cause of the disappearance of these elephants is unknown. The Indians may have exterminated them, as the white man has the buffalo, but it is possible that they disappeared for more natural reasons.

# RAILROADS APPEAL TO PRESIDENT

The Common Carriers Ask for Relief—President Wilson Directs Attention of Public to Their Needs.

The committee of railroad executives, headed by Mr. Frank Trumbull, representing thirty-five of the leading railroad systems of the nation, recently presented to President Wilson a memorandum briefly reviewing the difficulties now confronting the railroads of the country and asking for the co-operation of the governmental authorities and the public in supporting railroad credits and recognizing an emergency which requires that the railroads be given additional revenues.

The memorandum recites that the European war has resulted in general depression of business on the American continent and in the dislocation of credits at home and abroad. With revenues decreasing and interest rates increasing the transportation systems of the country face a most serious crisis and the memorandum is a strong presentation of the candle burning at both ends and the perils that must ultimately attend such a conflagration when the flames meet is apparent to all. In their general discussion the railroad representatives say in part: "By reason of legislation and regulation by the federal government and the forty-eight states acting independently of each other, as well as through the action of a strong public opinion, railroad expenses in recent years have vastly increased. No criticism is here made of the general theory of governmental regulation, but on the other hand, no ingenuity can relieve the carriers of expenses created thereby."

President Wilson, in transmitting the memorandum of the railroad presidents to the public, characterizes it as "a lucid statement of plain truth." The president recognizing the emergency as extraordinary, continuing, said in part:

"You ask me to call the attention of the country to the imperative need that railway credits be sustained and the railroads helped in every possible way, whether by private co-operative effort or by the action, wherever feasible of governmental agencies, and I am glad to do so because I think the need very real."

The conference was certainly a fortunate one for the nation and the president is to be congratulated for opening the gate to a new world of effort in which everyone may co-operate.

There are many important problems in our complex civilization that will yield to co-operation which will not lend themselves to arbitrary rulings of commissions and financing railroads is one of them. The man with the money is a factor that cannot be eliminated from any business transaction and the public is an interested party that should always be consulted and happily the president has invited all to participate in the solution of our railroad problems.

King Cotton has suffered more from the European war than any other agricultural product on the American continent. The shells of the belligerents have burst over his throne, frightening his subjects and shattering his markets, and, panic-stricken, the nation cries out "God save the king!"

People from every walk of life have contributed their mite toward rescue work. Society has danced before the king; milady has decreed that the family wardrobe shall contain only cotton goods; the press has pleaded with the public to "buy a bale"; bankers have been formulating holding plans; congress and legislative bodies have deliberated over relief measures; statesmen and writers have grown eloquent expounding the inalienable rights of "His Majesty" and presenting schemes for preserving the financial integrity of the stricken staple, but the sword of Europe has proved mightier than the pen of America in fixing value upon this product of the sunny south. Prices have been bayoneted, values riddled and markets decimated by the battling hosts of the eastern hemisphere until the American farmer has suffered a war loss of \$400,000,000, and a bale of cotton brave enough to enter a European port must pay a ransom of half its value or go to prison until the war is over.

Hope of the Future Lies in Co-operation.

The Farmers' Union, through the columns of the press, wants to thank the American people for the friendship, sympathy and assistance given the cotton farmers in the hour of distress and to direct attention to co-operative methods necessary to permanently assist the marketing of all farm products.

The present emergency presents as grave a situation as ever confronted the American farmer and from the viewpoint of the producer, would seem to justify extraordinary relief measures, even to the point of bending the constitution and straining business rules in order to lift a portion of the burden off the backs of the farmer, for unless something is done to check the invasion of the war forces upon the cotton fields, the pathway of the European pestilence on this continent will be strewn with mortgaged homes and famine and poverty will stalk over the southland, filling the highways of industry with refugees and the bankruptcy court with prisoners.

All calamities teach us lessons and the present crisis serves to illuminate the frailties of our marketing methods and the weakness of our credit system, and out of the financial anguish and travail of the cotton farmer will come a volume of discussion and a mass of suggestions and finally a solution of this, the biggest problem in the economic life of America. If, indeed, we have not already laid the foundation for at least temporary relief.

More Pharaohs Needed in Agriculture.

Farm products have no credit and perhaps can never have on a permanent and satisfactory basis unless we build warehouses, cold storage plants, elevators, etc., for without storage and credit facilities, the south is compelled to dump its crop on the market at harvest time. The Farmers' Unions in the cotton producing states have for the past ten years persistently advocated the construction of storage facilities. We have built during this period 2,000 warehouses with a capacity of approximately 4,000,000 bales and looking backward the results would seem encouraging, but looking forward, we are able to house less than one-third of the crop and warehouses without a credit system lose 90 per cent of their usefulness. The problem is a gigantic one—too great for the farmer to solve unaided. He must have the assistance of the banker, the merchant and the government.

In production we have reached the high water mark of perfection in the world's history, but our marketing methods are most primitive. In the dawn of history we find agriculture plowing with a forked stick but with a system of warehouses under governmental supervision that made the Egyptians the marvel of civilization, for who has not admired the wisdom of Joseph and applauded the wisdom of Pharaoh for storing the surplus until demanded by the consumer, but in this age we have too many Josephs who dream and not enough Pharaohs who build.

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